

KENTUCKY BOARD OF SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY AND AUDIOLOGY
MINUTES
January 11, 2005

A regular meeting of the Kentucky Board of Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology was held at the Division of Occupations and Professions in Frankfort, Kentucky on January 11, 2005.

MEMBERS PRESENT

Judith L. Page
Ann N. Neely
Joyce Wallen
Bettyruth Bruington
Pamela Ison
Dr. Kevin Kavanagh

OCCUPATIONS AND PROFESSIONS STAFF

Karen Robinson, Board Administrator
Scott Porter, Attorney
Susan Ellis, Fiscal/Financial Operations Supervisor

Board Chair, Judith Page, called the meeting to order at 1:00 p.m.

Oath of Office

Susan Ellis administered the Oath of Office to Dr. Kevin T. Kavanagh. Dr. Kavanagh replaces Dr. Andrew Mickler's position on the Board.

Minutes

A motion was made by Joyce Wallen to approve the minutes of the regularly scheduled meeting of December 14, 2004. The motion, seconded by Ann Neely, carried.

Financial Statement

The financial statements for July 1, 2004 – December 31, 2004 were presented to the Board for review and discussion.

A motion was made by Pam Ison to approve the financial statements as presented. The motion, seconded by Joyce Wallen, carried.

Director's Report

Mr. John Parrish, Division Director of Occupations and Professions was unable to attend today's meeting.

Complaints

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Scott Porter will draft a letter of dismissal and send a copy to Karen Robinson for the Board files.

New Business

Election of Officers

Nominations were received to elect Pam Ison to the office of Board Chair and to elect Judith Page to the office of Vice Chair to the Board by acclamation of the entire Board.

A motion was made by Joyce Wallen to approve the order of plaques for Board service to Stan Cooke, Norma Hogan, and Dr. Andrew Mickler. Motion, seconded by Ann Neely, carried.

Joyce Wallen made a motion to approve six-month extensions for SLP interim licensees, Maria Salisbury and Shawna Jurgens until June 3, 2005. Motion, seconded by Judith Page, carried. The Board requested Karen Robinson to draft a response to questions from a licensed SLP regarding the limits of pupil cases specifically referring the licensee to KRS 334A.190 Caseload limitations for speech-language pathologists in the public schools. Ms. Robinson is to send the draft to Ms. Ison for review before sending to licensee.

Licensure Status Report

The licensure status report was provided for member information. The report showed that there are currently 1,808 speech-language pathology licenses, 183 audiology licenses and 104 speech-language pathology assistant licenses as of December 31, 2004.

Application Review

Ann Neely made a motion, seconded by Joyce Wallen and carried, to approve the following applicants for licensure in the appropriate area:

AUDIOLOGY: Dr. Mary J. Francis, Alyssa R. Needleman, and Margaret A. Wittmer.

SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY ASSISTANT INTERIM: Heather J. Davel and Amber L. Miles.

SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY INTERIM: Brandelynn Baker

SPEECH- LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY: Diane H. Mason, Amy LaBruyere, Tamara Jo Newton, and Angela R. Sageser.

CHANGE IN PLAN OF ACTIVITIES for PPE: Anna L. Riley (SLP-I) and Julie L. Schott (SLP-I).

CHANGE IN SUPERVISION and/or PPE SETTING: Danica R. Browning (SLPA), Candice D. Hooker (SLPA-I), and Maria N. Salisbury (SLP-I).

REINSTATEMENT: Lauren E. Bland (SLP), LeiAndra Haggard (SLPA), and Noel T. Khattary (SLP).

Continuing Education

A motion was made by Ann Neely to accept the recommendations for requests of approval of continuing education hours. Motion, seconded by Bettyruth Bruington, carried.

Travel and Per Diem

A motion was made by, Judith Page, seconded by Bettyruth Bruington and carried, to approve payment of travel expenses and per diem compensation to eligible members in attendance at today's meeting.

Adjournment

Having no further items of discussion, the meeting adjourned at 1:26 p.m.

Approved

